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FROM: Central Intelligence Coordinator, Information & Privacy Coordinator, Washington, DC 20505

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Washington, D.C. 20505

18 September 2019

Ms. Emily Crose
MuckRock News
DEPT MR 61550
411A Highland Avenue
Somerville, MA 02144-2516

Reference: F-2019-00081

Dear Ms.Crose:

This is a final response to your 28 September 2018 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for information on the following:

- 1. Full declassification of attached cable found in the CREST database dated NOV 29 2233z 60 from LEOPOLDVILLE station to DIRECTOR RE: QJWIN on apparent exfiltration operation in Congo.**
- 2. Any other cable traffic/information referenced by or to this cable.**

We processed your request in accordance with the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552, as amended, and the CIA Information Act, 50 U.S.C. § 3141, as amended.

With regard to Item 1, we located and completed a re-review of the document responsive to your request and determined that additional information can be released with deletions continuing to be made on the basis of FOIA exemptions (b)(1) and (b)(3). A copy of the document is enclosed at Tab A. Exemption (b)(3) pertains to information exempt from disclosure by statute. The relevant statutes are Section 6 of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, as amended, and Section 102A(i)(1) of the National Security Act of 1947, as amended.

With regard to Item 2, we completed a thorough search for records responsive to this portion of your request and located two documents, which we can release in segregable form with deletions made on the basis of FOIA exemptions (b)(1) and (b)(3). Copies of the documents are enclosed at Tab B.

As the CIA Information and Privacy Coordinator, I am the CIA official responsible for this determination. You have the right to appeal this response to the Agency Release Panel, in my care, within 90 days from the date of this letter. Please include the basis of your appeal.

If you have any questions regarding our response, you may contact us at:

Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, DC 20505
Information and Privacy Coordinator
703-613-3007 (Fax)

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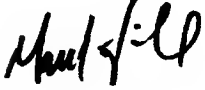
703-613-1287 (FOIA Hotline)

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877-864-6448
202-741-5769 (fax)
ogis@nara.gov

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark Lilly', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mark Lilly
Information and Privacy Coordinator

Enclosures

TAB A

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE		(b)(3)	
29 NOV 60		ROUTING	
DIRECTOR		1	4
OM : LEOPOLVILLE		2	3
FROM : C/AF(MR FIELDS AF DIV ISSUED TEMPO COPY 1800 29 NOV)		3	6
TO : [REDACTED]		NOV 29 2233Z 60	
Coco 51/1		PRIORITY (b)(3)	
		IN 49486	

PRITY DIR CITE LEOP 0390

RYBAT [REDACTED]

EYES ONLY [REDACTED] OR [REDACTED] FROM GUTHMAN/A

1. OJWIN ARRIVED LEOP 21 NOV. VIEW DELICATE NATURE OP. STATION DID NOT SURFACE HIM TO [REDACTED] UNILATERALLY AND ON OWN INITIATIVE HE MADE CONTACT WITH IDEN WHO AGREED 26 NOV TN FOLLOWING PLAN AGAINST TARGET: IDEN TO SUPPLY FOUR UNO VEHICLES AND SIX CONGOLESE SOLDIERS WITH UNO BRASSARDS AND BERETS. OJWIN POSING AS [REDACTED] OFFICER WOULD ENTER TARGET'S HOME AND PROVIDE ESCORT OUT OF RESIDENCE. IDEN SAID COULD EASILY PROVIDE VEHICLES AND MEN. (UNO ANNOUNCED FIFTY-FIVE OF ITS VEHICLES HAVE BEEN STOLEN AND STATION KNOWS WHERE [REDACTED] UNIFORM AVAILABLE). IDEN A ORGANIZATION NEEDED TO PIERCE BOTH CONGOLESE AND UNO GUARDS.

2. OJWIN HAS DISPLAYED GREAT INITIATIVE, IMAGINATION AND COURAGE SINCE ARRIVAL. HAS IDENTIFIED SELF TO IDENTITY AS GERMAN.

3. VIEW CHANGE IN LOCATION TARGET. OJWIN ANXIOUS GO STANLEYVILLE AND EXPRESSED DESIRE EXECUTE PLAN BY HIMSELF WITHOUT USING ANY APPARAT. WOULD GO STAN UNDER HIS OWN PASSPORT AND USE BUSINESS CREDENTIALS FROM VARIOUS GERMAN FIRMS AND CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE.

WHEN EMPLOYED OJWIN TOLD HE WOULD BE PAID [REDACTED] PER (b)(1)

(b)(3)

Coco 51/2

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

SECRET

COP 0390

IN 40486

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MONTH FOR PERIOD ONE OR MAXIMUM TWO MONTHS. IF HOS CONCURS HE GO
STAN. RECOMMEND MAINTAIN HIS SALARY AT SAME RATE.

END OF MESSAGE

TAB B

316
DATE : 12 JAN 61

TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : LEOPOLDVILLE

ACTION : S/AF 3 (AF ISSUED TEMPO COPY 1250 12 JAN 61)

INFO :

2-1 copy

SECRET

18:30

Suspense

OPIM DIR CITE LEOP 0625

JAN 12 1741Z 61

OPERATIONAL IMMEDIATE

IN 30010

IN30010

RYBAT

1. ☐ SITUATION DETERIORATING RAPIDLY. TROOPS AND POLICE

MOST RESENTFUL BECAUSE PAY LOW AS COMPARED OFFICERS AND GOVT LEADERS.

PER ☐ CABLES, POLICE WERE ON VERGE MUTINY 10 JAN. MANY LOCAL

SOURCES SAY DISCONTENT CONTINUING MOUNT BUT STATION NOT ABLE

SUBSTANTIATE AT PRESENT.

2. GUTHMAN/RETURNED LEOP MORNING 12 JAN ON SAME PLANE ☐

LATTER TALKED WITH ☐ BY PHONE 11 JAN. SAID IT HIS OPINION

LEOP GARRISON WILL MUTINY WITHIN TWO OR THREE DAYS UNLESS DRASTIC

ACTION TAKEN SATISFY COMPLAINTS IN REPLY QUESTION SAID ONLY

SUGGESTION AT PRESENT IS OFFER TROOPS SPECIAL COMBAT BONUS TO PUT

DOWN GIZENGA "REBELLION". HOWEVER SAID NO GOC FUNDS AVAILABLE THIS

PURPOSE. LITTERALLY BEGGED GUTHMAN OBTAIN ODYOKE/FUNDS MEET THIS

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DATE :		SECRET		ROUTING			
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				2	5		
TO :		3		6			
FROM :							
ACTION :							
INFO :		LEOP 0625 IN 30010					
PAGE 2							

NEED, POINTING OUT TROOP MUTINY ALMOST CERTAINLY WOULD END [REDACTED] (b)(1)
 CONTROL CNA AND BRING ABOUT [REDACTED] RETURN POWER. [REDACTED] ESTIMATES (b)(3)
 WOULD TAKE ABOUT ONE MILLION DOLLARS PER MONTH FOR SEVERAL MONTHS (b)(1)
 (b)(3)

TO ACHIEVE OBJECTIVE. HE RECOGNIZES THIS NOT GOOD SOLUTION FOR IN

WAY THIS IS ACCEPTING CNA BLACKMAIL. BUT BELIEVES IT BETTER THAN

LETTING MATTERS DRIFT AND FACING CERTAIN FAILURE [REDACTED] OBJECTIVES. (b)(1)
 (b)(3)

STATION CONCURS.

3. COS AND AMBASSADOR SEEING [REDACTED] 1500Z, 12 JAN. GUTHMAN (b)(1)
 (b)(3)

ALSO TRYING CONTACT [REDACTED] AND OTHER [REDACTED] LEADERS TO GET (b)(1)
 (b)(3)

READING. THIS MESSAGE SENT WARN HQS SERIOUS PROBLEM EXISTS AND TO

URGE IMMEDIATE KUBARK/LIAISON AND DISCUSSION THIS PROBLEM. BELIEVE

COULD INSERT FUNDS CLANDESTINELY VIA [REDACTED] IF NECESSARY. (b)(1)
 (b)(3)

4. WILL CABLE STATION AND [REDACTED] VIEWS ON REQUEST SOONEST. (b)(1)
 (b)(3)

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DATE : 17 JAN 61	S-E-C-R-E-T	ROUTING 1 2 3	4 5 6
TO : DIRECTOR		JAN 17 2307Z 61	
FROM : LEOPOLDVILLE		PRIORITY	
ACTION : IW 2		IN 32132	
INFO :		TDCS -3/462,509	
DIR INFO [] ELIZ CITE LEOP 0646		(b)(1)	
INTEL		(b)(3)	
SUPDATA GUTHMAN FROM [] AND [] ADVISED		(b)(1)	
GUTHMAN, 14 JAN THAT PLANS BEING MADE TRANSFER LUMUMBA FROM THYSVILLE		(b)(3)	
BAKWINGA ALSO [] REPORTED GOC PLANNING MOVE LUMUMBA. FILED 1716		(b)(1)	
REPORT CLASS SECRET NG FORN. [] CONGO REPUBLIC. SUBJ: EX-		(b)(3)	
PREMIER PATRICE LUMUMBA TRANSFERRED FROM THYSVILLE MILITARY CAMP		(b)(1)	
TO PRISON IN BAKWANGAM DOI 1 JAN 61. PADA CONGO REPUBLIC,		(b)(3)	
LEOPOLDVILLE 17 JAN 61. SOURCE: []		(b)(1)	
(B) [] (C) []		(b)(3)	
[] (C). APR 2.		(b)(1)	
		(b)(3)	

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AF/ELIK	1			PRIORITY
RELEASING TWO		DATE DISTRIBUTED	BASED ON	(b)(3)
		JAN 18 0004 261	LIAISON	
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(b)(3)